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(D) COPENHAGEN A-18

1. WE WELCOME SUGGESTION OF INSPECTION TEAM THAT THERE BE  
COORDINATION AND PLANNING OF REPORTING BY EUR/NE POSTS. AS  
NOTED BY OUR COLLEAGUES (REFTELS) WE HAVE PARTICIPATED IN A  
NUMBER OF EXERCISES (PARM, GORM, ZBB, THE ANNUAL ASSESSMENT  
AND THE INSPECTION) WHERE OUR GOALS AND OBJECTIVES WERE OUT-  
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LINED. THESE BASIC DOCUMENTS DO ALSO PROVIDE THE GUIDELINES  
FOR OUR REPORTING. FURTHERMORE, DURING THE LAST FEW MONTHS,  
OUR SMALL EMBASSY HAS CONCENTRATED PRIMARILY ON THE DANISH  
EC PRESIDENCY WITH CONSEQUENT LIMITED TIME FOR ADDITIONAL  
REPORTING. DESPITE OUR PREOCCUPATION WITH THE EC PRESIDENCY,  
WE THINK THAT WE HAVE COVERED MOST OTHER ISSUES OF IMPORTANCE  
TO THE U.S. (F-16, AWACS, NATO SUMMIT, BELGRADE, ETC.). WE

ALSO PRODUCED OUR "OWN" NORDIC PAPER (REF D).

2. WE WOULD ALSO NOTE THAT WHATEVER SUGGESTIONS WE MAKE FOR REPORTING OVER THE NEXT SIX MONTHS COULD BE MODIFIED BY THE NEW TEAM TAKING OVER HERE. SUBJECT TO THIS CAVEAT, HOWEVER, WE ARE PLANNING THE FOLLOWING REPORTS FOR THE REMAINDER OF 1978. SOME OF THESE WILL BE DONE BY THE POLITICAL SECTION, SOME BY THE ECONOMIC, SOME BY OTHERS, BUT THEY WILL ALL BE COORDINATED WITHIN THE POST.

A. AN ANALYSIS OF THE DANISH EC PRESIDENCY (AFTER ITS CLOSE ON JUNE 30).

B. A NEW LOOK AT THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

C. THE FAROE ISLANDS (BASED ON AN UPCOMING VISIT BY AN EMB-OFF).

D. THE DANISH INTERNAL SITUATION (ECONOMIC PROBLEMS, UNEMPLOYMENT, POSSIBILITY OF ELECTIONS, BALANCE OF PAYMENTS).

E. GREENLAND HOME RULE (AFTER FOLKETING DEBATE IN FALL).

F. ANALYSIS OF THE BIENNIAL LABOR MARKET NEGOTIATIONS WHICH WILL START IN THE LATE FALL.

G. ANNUAL LABOR REPORT DUE SEPTEMBER 30.

H. DANISH NORTH SEA PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENTS.

I. CIVIL AVIATION PROBLEMS (ARRIVAL OF NORTHWEST AIRLINES, CHARTERS, ETC.).

J. MARITIME DEVELOPMENTS.

K. MINERALS DEVELOPMENTS IN GREENLAND.

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L. MAJOR INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS IN DENMARK (GREAT BELT BRIDGE, NATURAL GAS PIPELINE).

M. UPDATE OF F-16 PROGRAM AS SEQUEL TO 1977 SUMMARY ON SUBJECT.

N. DENMARK AND NATO (TOWARDS THE END OF 1978 WOULD BE A GOOD TIME TO LOOK AT DENMARK'S CONTRIBUTION TO THE ALLIANCE AS THIS WILL BE THE MID-POINT OF THE PRESENT DEFENSE AGREEMENT).

O. DENMARK'S ROLE IN PEACE-KEEPING FORCES.

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